16 MAY 1978

MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for Resource Management

FROM: Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT: HPSCI Budget Markup

    1. I'm concerned at the comments on the bottom of page 14 that we have refused to provide certain documentation to the Committee. I'd appreciate knowing what this problem is all about.

    2. Comments on page 19 about a clearer focus for warning with a report date of 1 August: we'll have to get moving. I understand Frank and Bob are working on this. We better keep at it and not wait until the last minute.

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4. I'm concerned at the strong thrust throughout the area of page 26 on delegating to an executive agent authority for doing what [ ] 25X1 is supposed to do. On the one hand, they admit on page 25 that his office may not be enough to do the job. Then they want to get the job done by loading it onto somebody else who's fully involved in the business. I'm not enthusiastic about having one of the claimants for ADP matters be the arbiter of community ADP policy.

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5. I'd like to understand better how to rebut the comments on page 29 about the "low levels of theater support provided by the current [ ] 25X1 [ ] I don't know how and where the results of [ ] go well enough. 25X1

7. On page 65, I take personal affront at their totally zeroing out my external contracting funds.

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for Administration

FROM: Director of Central Intelligence

I've lost the bubble on when we're going to get some teeth into our contracting procedures so that we can hold a contractor responsible for security lapses.

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